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1. U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0075249, published June 20, 2002.
2. European Patent Application Publication No. 1 170 948, published January 9, 2002.
3. U.S. Patent No. 5,949,484, published September 7, 1999.

One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith. Also enclosed is a copy of a European Search Report dated July 23, 2004, issued in a corresponding European Patent Application which cites such documents.

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